

## April 2021 Class Schedule



**Beginner Preventing & Fixing Mistakes in Knitting (In-Studio):** Ever get to the end of a row and find you are short a stitch or two, or that you have too many stitches, or that holes have inexplicably appeared in your knitting? Maybe your stitches are looking a little wonky and you just don't know how to fix them. Then this class is perfect for the beginner knitter. Learn what common mistakes we all make while knitting and, more importantly, how to fix them. You will learn skills like ripping back, unknitting and the ever-useful dropping down in your work and bringing the stitches back up. **Pre-requisite Skills:** Knit, purl stitches and simple knit/purl combinations such as ribbing and at least one type of cast on.

- Sunday, April 11 from 1-3 p.m. with Andrea
- \$30 plus supplies

**Beginner Hat (In-Studio):** The second step after learning the very basics in knitting is knitting in the round. Learn to work in the round, simple pattern reading and basic decreases while making this versatile hat. Beanie or a slouchy, this unisex cap is sized from infant to large adult. Pre-requisite Skills: Basic knitting skills are required including long tail cast on, knit stitch, purl stitch and knit/ purl combinations.

- Thursdays, April 15 & 22 from 3-5 p.m. with Susan
- \$60 plus supplies



**Beginning Knit (In Studio):** Knitting is now more popular than ever, and you can learn too! In this 2-part class, students will learn how to cast on, the knit & purl stitch, knit and purl combination stitches in the same row, and how to read a pattern. During the second class, you will learn how to shop for and start your first project, the Wheat Scarf by Tin Can Knits. **Pre-requisite Skills:** None

- Saturdays, April 3 & 10 from 10 a.m.- 12 noon with Susan
- \$60 plus supplies

**Beginning Tapestry Weaving (In-Studio):** Have you always wanted to learn to weave, but aren't ready to commit to a loom yet? Do you have limited crafting space and need to be able to hide your weaving away when you aren't working on it? Tapestry weaving on a frame loom is the perfect way to dip your toe into weaving without affecting the footprint of your living space! In this class, we will weave a mug rug on a small frame loom as a way to learn how to warp a frame loom, how to weave weft-faced fabric, how to secure your weaving and finish your tapestry! **Pre-requisite Skills:** None

- Saturday, April 24 from 1-4 p.m. with Donita
- \$45 plus supplies



**Fit Your Knit (Virtual):** Have you made multiple sweaters and not a single one fits the way you imagined? Are you stuck with inaction to make your first sweater? We have all been there. In this free virtual lecture class, Andrea will demystify ways to make a sweater of your own that actually fits!. This is the pre-cursor to the studio Winter Sweater KAL which takes place on Zoom immediately following this class. **Pre-requisite skills:** Advanced beginner knitter and above.

- Wednesday, April 7 from 8- 9 p.m. with Andrea
- Free!!!! Please make sure you register to get the Zoom meeting codes



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**Getting Started Spindle Spinning (In-Studio):** Would you like to try spinning for the first time? Do you have a spindle you need some help with? Have you tried spindling on your own with limited success? Would you like to try spinning, but aren't ready to commit to the investment of money or space for a spinning wheel? Spinning on a spindle is a great way to try spinning fiber into yarn. Spindles are small to store, immensely portable, charming and warning: very easy to collect! Some love spinning yarn on a spindle so much, it is their primary spinning tool (even after they have gotten a wheel!). This class is for a new spinner looking to learn about spindles, how to start spinning on a spindle, how to prepare your fiber to spin, what fibers to seek out when you are starting out and how to best use a spindle ergonomically. **Pre-requisite Skills:** None



- Tuesday, April 20 from 6-8 p.m. with Donita
- \$30 plus supplies



**Introduction to Stitch Story (In-Studio):** Spring is in the air! Time for all things new. Sew... let's start at the very beginning... a very good place to start! Create a unique *Flower* or *Little Bird* design on a 5" x 5" wool fabric background as a *Stitch Story* in this introductory class. Instruction will focus on background preparation, texturing techniques, wool appliqué and simple embroidery stitches and stitch variations. **Basic stitches & stitch variations taught in this class:** Whip Stitch, Running Stitch, Backstitch, Seed Stitch, French Knot, Pistil Stitch, Drizzle Stitch, Chain Stitch, Whipped Stitch and Woven Stitches. **Pre-requisite Skills:** This is an introductory class for those new to handwork or embroidery or for those persons interested in refreshing hand stitching skills. No prerequisite skills are required for

enrollment.

- Wednesdays, April 21 & 28 from 2-4 p.m. with Melissa
- \$60 + \$5 materials fee and other supplies



**My First Sweater (In-Studio):** Learn to knit a simple and classic first sweater for a little one. Then transfer the skills learned, to make one for yourself! In this class we will knit the 0-6mos size top-down raglan sleeved sweater while learning how to make simple increases, picking up stitches and more. **Pre-requisite Skills:** Knit, purl, cast on, bind off and experience knitting in the round.

- Mondays, April 12, 19 & 26 from 3-5 p.m. with Susan
- \$90 plus supplies

### Class pricing and policies

Classes are \$15 per hour plus supplies unless specified; length of class is dependent upon the complexity of the subject. All classes are two hours and up. You can purchase classes individually or apply package credit. The price and length each class will be clearly defined in the class description.

Packages of class hours are available at \$150 per 10 hours, which includes 10 hours of instruction plus one 10% off coupon for supplies and one voucher for a one-hour Knit/Crochet/Spin Doctor session.

Most classes have a minimum of 2 students and maximum of 4 students, depending on the complexity of the subject. **Cancellations must be 48 in advance to receive a credit for your class.** We understand emergencies happen and we certainly don't want you to come in when you are ill, but please let us know as soon as possible.

The Private Tutoring Lessons are \$25 per hour. Knit/Crochet Doctor sessions are \$15 per half hour and are available to get the help you need with a tricky stitch sequence, an unclear pattern, a runaway dropped stitch, or any other knitting, crocheting or spinning challenge. Call to schedule a session.